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The foregoing submissions are believed to meet the requirements of the Notice to File Missing Parts, and the applicant awaits further action on the application from the Patent and Trademark Office.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Respectfully submitted,

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